SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for Pork" as the case may be, will be re-

2,500 3,000 1,000 9,000 6,500

One-half of said beef and pork must be delivered at each of the bove-named yards, respectively, by the lat day of April, 1858; and as remaining half by the lat day of June, 1858, unless earlier delivies should be required by the chief of this bureau. Payment to be ade within thirty days after delivery.

Bidders must specify their prices separately and distinctly in separate of the policy, covering all expenses and all charges.

The beef must be from well-fattened cattle shauthered between the policy of the policy.

ay of November, 1887, and the 1st day of January, 1838, and not less than six hundred pounds, net weight, each. The log rands of the hind quarters, and the shins and shoulders of mutton and ends of sticking pieces, and at the pounds from the neck end of each fore-quarter, or the partia Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, on the drawing or delineation of the hind quarters of an ox, which will be attached to and form a secontract, must be wholly excluded from each barrel, and nelse of the carears, instead of being cut with a cleaver, must may with a sense and laufe, to pice the meat a square, neat, and paramer, in pieces of not less than eight pounds, nor more than must, such.

of sail; and the beef must have five ounces of fine pulverstreet to coach barrel; exclusive of a pickle, to be made from
or as strong as sail will make it, and must be perfectly
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ash in width on each olimic, and each to be of one sixteenth of
hick. Each barrel must be of the histerial capacity of thirtyans, and the iron hoops from be well painted with red lead,
arrel must be branded by burning on its head. 'Navy Beef,'
y Fork, 'as it be case may be, with the contractor's name and
when packed, and weight; and shall also be branded on the
ve with the letter B. or P., as the case may be,
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ective contract, which will on no account be paid until the
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el States in the event of failure to comp

aming of the act of 1846, and his bid will be made and acceptanting the act of 1846, and his bid will be made and acceptanting the first of the act of Congress making appropriations for the naval series 1846-87, approved 19th of August, 1846) by a written guassianed by one or more responsible persons, to the effect that he yundertake that the bidder or bidders will, if his or their bid appeal, enter into an obligation within ten days, with good and entsureties, to furnish the article proposed.

goarantee must be accompanied by the certificats of the United agrantee must be accompanied by the certificats of the United.

the firm, where a company offers, with the Christian names written in full, must be distinctly stated.

Under the joint resolution of Congress, approved 27th March, 1854, "all bids for supplies of a Cosmons, clothing, and small stores for the use of the may, may be rejected at the option of the department, if made by one not known as a manufacturer of, or regular dealer in, the article proposed to be furnished, which fact, or the reverse, must be June 3—law4w

Stamped Envelopes.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, May 30, 1857.

May 36, 1857.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received until 3, p. m., of the 6th day of July next for furnishing all the stamped enoughs this department may require for a period of four years, viz: No. 1, or note size, 2% by 4% inches, of white paper. No. 2, or letter size, 3% by 5% inches, of buff or white paper, or in such proportions of buff and white as may be ordered.

No. 3, or official size, 3% by 8% inches, buff or white, or in such proportions of either as may be required.

The dies for embossing the post

The dies for embossing the postage stamps on the envelopes are to be executed in the best style, and they are to be provided, renewed, and kept in order at the expense of the contractor.

Hidders are requested to furnish samples of paper, with their bids, of the quality they intend to use in the manufacture of the envelopes they propose to furnish.

Boad and security will be required for the faithful performance of the contract, and plyments under it will be made quarterly. Price, quality of samples, and the sufficiency of the bidder will be considered together in awarding the contract and the Postanator General reserves to himself the right to annit it whenever he shall discover that the same, or any part of it, is offered for ale in the market for the purpose of speculation; and he will in no case anotion a transfer of the contract to any party who shall be, in his opinion, less able and qualified than the original bidder or contractor. The right is also reserved to annul the contract for a failure to perform, faithfully any of its stipulations.

THE KINGDOM AND PEOPLE OF SIAM: by
Sir John Bowring; with a narrative of his mission in 1853. 2
vots. London, 1857. 48 50.
Specches of Eminent British Statesmen; from the reform bill to the
Sussish war. 1 vol. London, 1857. \$1 25.
Lord Brougham's Speeches, with historical introductions. 1 vol.
London, 1857. \$1 75.
Burk's Sheeches on Warren Hastings, with a splection of his costs. Lord Brougham's Speechas, with historical introductions. 1 vol. London, 1897. \$1.75.
Burke's ejecobes on Warren Hastings, with a selection of his epistolary correspondence. 2 vols. London, 1857. \$2.
Tales of the Genit; translated from the Persian, by Sir Charles Moyell. New edition, illustrated. 1 vol. London, 1857. \$1.25.
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May 30 FRANCK TAYLOR.

A DVENTURES AND EXPLORATIONS in Hon-Cullen's Isthmun of Darien Ship Canal. I volume, London, with

mes.

Rev. Mr. Bellow's Address on Theatres, &c.
Bucon's Essays, with Esbop Whately's Notes. I volume Svo.
Travell in Europe; by Rev. John E. Edwards.
The Bible and the People; by Miss Beechor.
May 29.

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FRANCE TAYLOR.

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TEVERINO. Par George Sand. 20 cents.

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Jacques. Far George Sand. 40 cents.

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Alzia Pauli. Far Fival. 30 cents.

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Do Martin de Freytas. Far Dumas. 25 cents.

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And many others at the same low range of prices.

May 26

Proposals for Naval Supplies.

May 23, 1857.

SEALED PROPOSALS to furnish naval supplies for the fiscal year ending 50th June, 1858, will be received at this group will 2 abstract this

Every offer, as required by the law of 19th August, 1846, must be accompanied by a written guarantee, the form of which is herewith given.

Those only whose offers may be accepted will be notified, and the contract will be forwarded an soon thereafter as practicable, which they will be required to execute within ten days after he receipt at the post office or navy agency named by them.

Sareties in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility octified to by a United States district judge, United States district atterney, collector, or navy-agend. As additional security, twenty per centum will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contract shall have been completed; and eighty per centam of each bill, approved in triplicate by the commandant of the respective yards, will be paid by the navy-agent within thirty days after its presentation to him.

It is stipulated in the contract that, if default be made by the parties of the first part in delivaring all or any of the articles montioned in any class hid for in this contract, of the quality and at the time and places above provided, then, and in that case, the contractor and his survities will forfeit and pay to the United States a sum of money not exceeding twice the amount of such class, which may be recovered from time to time, according to the act of Congress in that case provided, approved March 3, 1843.

Classes Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 7 to be delivered one fourth part on or before the 18th May, one-fourth part by the 20th May, 1956. The remaining classes to be delivered one-fourth part by the 20th May, 1956. The remaining classes to be delivered one-fourth part of the Eucherober, and the remainder by the 1st December, 1858. Classes to be delivered one-fourth part of the Properties of the particles named therein are demanded, they are to before the 1st December, and the remainder on or before the 30th June, 1858, unless carrier required with a notice of twelve days, comprising the act and delivery a due propertion of

The undersigned, of in the State of and of the state of t

The following are the classes required at the respective yards KTITERY, MAINE

Class No. 1. White-oak logs. No. 6. Yellow-pine plank stock logs. No. 10. White pine. No. 11. Ash, cypress, white-oak beards. No. 13. Locust. No. 18. Lignunvitas. No. 21. Iron. No. 23. Spikes and nails. No. 23. Lead, zine, and tin. No. 25. Hardware. No. 33. Hose.

CHARLESTOWN, MASSACHUSETTS.

Charles No. 1. White-oak logs. No. 3. White-oak promisenous timber. No. 4. White-oak keel pieces and rudder stocks. No. 6. Yellow-pine plank stock logs. No. 7. Yellow-pine beans. No. 8. Yellow-pine mast and part timber. No. 9. White-pine mast timber. No. 10. White pine. No. 11. Ash, cypress, white-oak boarda. No. 12. Black walnut, cherry. No. 13. Locotst. No. 14. White-oak noars and hickory bars and butts. No. 15. White-oak stayes and heading. No. 16. Black spruce. No. 18. Ligramytike, No. 21. Iron. No. 22. Spikes and nails. No. 23. Lead, zinc, and tin. No. 25. Hardware. No. 27. Faints, cils, &c. No. 28. Flax canvas. No. 29. Ostton canvas. No. 30. Flax and cotton twine. No. 31. Boarding and dry goods. No. 37. Pitch, tar, rosin. No. 38. Tallow, soap, oil. No. 39. Ship chandlery. No. 40. Stationery. No. 41. Firewood.

BEOOKLYN. NEW YORE.

BROOKLYN, NEW YORK.

Class No. 1. White-oak logs. No. 3. White-oak prombecuous timber.
No. 6. Yellow-pine plank stock logs. No. 7. Yellow-pine beams. No.
8. Yellow-pine mast and spar timber. No. 10. White pine. No. 11.
Ash, cypress, white-oak boards. No. 12. Black walnut, cherry, mahogany. No. 13. Locust. No. 14. White-ash cars and hickory bars
and butts. No. 15. White-oak staves and heading. No. 10. Black
spruce. No. 18. Lignumvitse. No. 21. Iron. No. 22. Spikes and
nails. No. 25. Lead, zinc, and tim. No. 24. Pig Iron. No. 25. Hardware. No. 27. Paints, oils, &c. No. 28. Flax cauvas. No. 29. Cotton canvas. No. 30. Flax and cotton twine. No. 31. Class. No. 32.
Leather. No. 33. Hose. No. 34. Brushes. No. 36. Bunting and dry
goods. No. 37. Pitch, tar, rosin. No. 35. Tallow, soap, oil. No. 39.
Ship chandlery. No. 40. Stationery. No. 41. Fire-wood.

PHILADELPHIA.

Chest No. 2. White-oak plank. No. 6. Yellow-pine plank stock logs.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Class No. 10. White pine. No. 11. Ash, cypress. No. 12. Black walnut. No. 21. Iron. No. 22. Spikes, nails. No. 23. Lead, zinc, tin. No. 24. Pig iron. No. 25. Hardware. No. 27. Paints, oits, &c. No. 31. Glass. No. 37. Pitch, tar, rosin. No. 38. Tallow, soap, oil. No. 39. Ship chandlery. No. 43. Tank and galley iron. No. 44. Chain iron. No. 45. Ingot copper. No. 46. Sand, straw, &c. No. 47. Miscellaneous.

GOSPORT, VIRGINIA.

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Class No. 1. White-pine. No. 6. Yellow-pine plank stock logs. No. 10. White pine. No. 11. Ash, cyprus, white-oak beards. No. 12. Black walnut, cherry, and mabogany. No. 14. White-ash oars and hickory bars and butts. No. 16. Black spruce. No. 18. Lignum-vites. No. 21. Iron. No. 22. Spikes and nails. No. 22. Lead, sinc. and tin. No. 25. Hardware. No. 27. Psints, olis, &c. No. 28. Flax canvas. No. 20. Cotton canvas. No. 30. Flax and cotton twine. No. 31. Glass. No. 32. Leather. No. 33. Hose. No. 34. Brushes. No. 35. Bunting and dry goods, No. 37. Pitch, tar, resin. No. 38. Tallow, soap, oil. No. 39. Ship chandlery. No. 40. Stationery. May 23—law4w

QUARTHEMASTER'S OFFICE MARINE CORPS,
Washington, May 16, 1857.

CEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until Monday, the 16th June, 1857, for supplying such quantities of wood and coal as may be required from 1st July, 1857, to 30th June, 1858, for the marines stationed at Washington city, D. C.
The wood to be best oak raspling, and the coal best anthracite. The wood to be best oak raspling, and the coal best anthracite. The wood to be delivered piled and measured and the coal weighted and delivered at such points as the commanding officers of the stations may direct, free of expense to the United States; the coal to weight 2,340 pounds to we ton. Further information can be had on application at this office.

Proposals to be addressed to Major G. F. Lindsay, Q. M. M. C., and endorsed "Proposals for fuel for marines at Washington, D. C."

The Intelligencer, Star, and States will publish the above twice a week till 15th June, 1557, and sond bill, with copy of advertisement, to this office for payment.

May 16—2awt15June†

Of the Edablishment of three additional Land Offices in the Territor, of Nebraska.

IN pursuance of the act of Congress approved March 3d, 1857, entitled "An act to establish three additional hand districts in the Territory of Nebraska," to be called, respectively, the "Neurana Laxo Dermor," the "Sourn Platric Rivers Laxo Dermor," it is hereby declared and made known that the offices for said districts have been established as follows:

known that the own that the character's at Brownsville. For the "South Plants Definer" at Nobraska City. For the "Gouth Plants Definer" at Nobraska City. For the "Dasora Definer" at Dakota City, in said Territory. Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this thirtee of April, 1857.

By order of the President:

JOS. S. WILSON,

JOS. S. WILSON,
Acting Commissioner of the General Land Office.

MPORTANT TO COTTON PLANTERS, by which their incomes must be doubled.—The undersigned has invested god obtained letters, patent from the finited States for the arrangement and combination of machinery for converting seed cotton into yares by one continuous process, from the gith through the various preparation and spinning machinery, until it is ready for shipment or wavaying. rious preparation and spinning machinery, until it is ready for ship-ment or weaving.

The saving from wasts by this process will be at least ten per cent.; and yarns made from the fibre (unbroken and uninjured by the operations of the machinery of the present process used to open and dis-surance it will be about fifty per sent. stronger and heavier, and will command the markets of the world, distancing all competition at

will command the markets of the world, distancing all competition at advanced prices.

The understined is prepared to dispose of privileges to use his patent; and planters will be informed as to terms, with complete in-structions low to use it, how to obtain the best machinery, and all other necessary particulars, on application addressed to Dec 6—2awlyif

Proposals for Live Oak

NAVY DEPARTMENT, Bureau of Countruction, &c. EALED PROPOSALS for delivering 50,000 cubic of feet of promisecous live oak in each of the may yards at Charles from Mananchusetts. Brooklyn, New York: Philadelphia, and at Gosport, Virginia, will be received at this bureau until the 15th June.

Herm of Offer.

1. of the State — hereby agree to furnish and deliver at the United States navy-yard at . fifty thousand cubic feet of live-oak timber, in conformity with the advertise-ment of the Bureau of Construction of the date of May 2, 1857, viz:

8.000 cubic feet, autisable for principle pieces, sided 18 and 20 inches, at — per foot.

22.000 cubic feet curved timber, sided 13 and 15 inches, length 13 to 17 feet, at — per foot.

5.000 cubic feet curved timber, sided 12 inches, length 13 to 17 feet, at — per foot.

5.000 cubic feet timber, siding 13 and 15 inches, length 17 to 20 feet, at — per foot.

Total value.

Should my offer be accepted, I request to be addressed at — or to me at the contract forwarded to the navy agent at — or to me at (Ihate.)

I hereby certify that the above-named C D and E F are known to me as men of property, and able to make good their guarantee. (Date.)
(To be signed by the United States district judge, United States district attorney, collector, or navy agent, and no other.)
May 2—labwy

OFFICE OF THE WASHINGTON AGENDUCT, Washington, March 5, 1857. DROPOSALS are invited for materials and work for the Washington aqueduct. Proposals received up to 7th May will be opened at noon of the

let will be ready for examination at this office on and after the 20th April next.

The work to be let will embrace masonry of some of the bridges, graduation, excavation, and embankment of reservoirs, fron pipus connected with the reservoirs, 12-jach iron main, gate houses, bricks, sand, rabble, and cut stone, &c.

For the particular works and materials reference is made to the specifications and plans.

As upon a portion of the line the titles are not yet acquired by the United States, there may be some delay in commenting the work thereon; but for such unavoidable delays due allowance will be made in the time of completion.

Portions only of some of the works can be completed under the present appropriation; but all contracts for unfluided works will be sub-

funds, the reserved ton per cent, will be paid, if, iii the judgment of the engineer, the work has been properly executed so far as it has gone.

Payments will be made in specie checks upon the United States treasury upon the mouthly estimates of the engineer, reserving 10 per cent.; and it will be a condition of all contracts that the workmen shall be paid their full wages mouthly, and in specie.

All bids should be sealed, and endorsed "Proposals for work or materials on the Washington Aqueduct."

The United States reserves the right to reject any or all the bids should they not be decened advantageous, and to make such arrangements as may be considered most conductive to the progress of the work.

Every offer must be accompanied by a written guarantee, signed by one or more responsible persons, to the effect that he or they undertake that the bidder or bidders will, if his or their bid be accepted, enter into an obligation, within ton drys, with good and sufficient securities, for the completion of the work undertaken; said guarantee to be accompanied by the certificate of the United States district judge, United States district judge, United States district judge, United States district parameter.

Bids will be opened in presence of bidders, if any of them choose to M. C. MEIGS,
Capt. of Engineers, in charge.

FORM OF GUARANTEE.

To Capt. M. C. Meigs, U. S. Engineers.

We, the undersigned, residents of ______, in the State of _____,
hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and
guaranty, in case the foregoing bid of ______ be accepted, that he or
they will, within ten days after the acceptance of the said bid, execute the contract for the same, with good ands ufficient sureties to perform or furnish the articles proposed in conformity to the terms of the
advertisement under which it was made. And in case the said
shall fail to enter into contract as aforesaid, we guaranty to make
good the difference between the offer by the said _____ and the next

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the bove-named guaranters are good and sufficient. (Signed) E. F. March ——codt7thMay&lawtf

[No. 578.] Notice

Of the Establishment of three additional Land Offices in the Territory of Kansas. N pursuance of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1857, entitled "An act to establish three additional land districts in the Territory of Kansas," to be called, respectively, the "Delaware land district," it is hereby declared and made known that the offices for said district, "it is hereby declared and made known that the offices for said districts have been established as follows, viz:

For the "Delaware mersur" at Dourshass.

For the "Macromarice" at Four Scorr.

For the "Wastens mersur" at Onion, in said Territory.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this eleventh day of April, A. D. 1857.

By order of the President:

JOS. S. WHEON,

Acting Commissioner of the General Land Office.

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[No. 579.]

Notice

Of the Establishment of an additional Land District in the State of Wis-consin.

IN pursuance of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1867, entitled "An act to establish an additional land district in the State of Wisconsin," to be called the "Congress assurer," which district embraces that portion of the old. La Grosse and Rodson districts, situated "north of the fine district geometric scenity four and teachy five north; south of the line district normality of the time dividing ranges one and two east; and ent of the line dividing ranges one and two east; and ent of the line dividing ranges one and two east; and ent of the line dividing ranges cleen and treete west," it is hereby declared and made known that the effice for said district has been established at the town of "East Claims," in said State.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this eleventh day of April, A. D. 1857. April, A. D. 1857.

By order of the President: JOS. S. WILSON,
Acting Commissioner of the General Land Office]

Notice of the Removal of the Land Office from Red Wing to Henderson, in Minnesota Ter-ritory.

IN accordance with the provisions of the act of Congress entitled "An act authorizing changes in the location of land offices," approved March 2, 1863, it is hereby declared and made known that the office for the sale of public lands at Rubwiss, in Mansseror Tenterory, will be removed to the fown of Hassusses, in said Territory, from end offer the first day of June nest. Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this 30th day of April, A. D. 1857.

By order of the President:

THOS. A. HENDRICKS,

Commissioner of the General Land Office.

May 1—Lawfer

Commissioner of the ([Int. & Star])

MATTHEW HALE SMITH, Counsellor-at-law in the United States courts, and in the courts of the State of New York, No. 119 Nassau street, New York, N Y.

Bureau of Construction, &c., June 27, 1857.

THE Bureau will receive scaled proposals, specifications, and plans until the 24th day of August next, endersed if the Construction of a Steom-Propoler Steopof War," authorized by the set of Congress, approved 3d March, 1887.

The proposals must be for the holl, spars and spars spars, rigging and blocks, sails and spare sails, awaings, &c., boats, suchors and cables, tanks, casks, furniture and cooking usersils, the steam machinery and spars work, with all the equipments and obtate of a ship-of-war to be complete and ready in all respects to receive her officers and men, provisions, stores, and provisions will be furnished by the government.

The armament, stores, and provisions will be furnished by the government.

The specifications must fully describe the unaterials to be used, the method and sizes of fatacetings, the detail of sizes and arrangement of the machinery, the various flutures of equipment and outfit, the cabin for explain, wardreem for 12 officers, steerage for 14 officers, apartments for 4 forward otherers, the store, sail, bread, clothing, issuing-roome, &c., sich bay, magazines, shell-roome, spirit-rooms, holds, chain and other lockers; also, the dimensions of the spars, boats, and all the other objects included in the proposal.

Upon application to the commandant of any navy-yard, the bidder can see the list of stores and provisions with which the government will furnish the ship, and for which, also, the contractor in his plans must be working drawings, from which the ship can be lially, showing the inheard arrangements, the allotment of space for accommodations for store rooms, for the stowage of the various ebjects of equipment, outfits, provisions, and stores, the arrangement of the unachinery and the disposition of the coal. There must also be a plan of the saile, showing the courses, top sails, top-gallant sails, jib, and spanker.

The plans will be accompanied by a model, which, with the drawings of the hall, must be on a scale of one-quarte

Being the latest stereotyped edition of the work known by the title of MAYO & MOULTON'S PENSION AND BOUNTY LAND LAWS."

#29 Mr. Moulton has relinquished all claim to any interest whateven this work, of which Dr. Mayo is sole and undisputed proprietor, it in this work, of which Dr. Mayo is sole and undisputed proprietor, by "deed" on record.

The subjeined letters in commendation of this work are now laid before the public for the first time, in addition to numerous others at ready published, from heads of departments and other public officers whose official duties render them particularly conversam with the administration of pension and bounty-land claims:

Letter from the Hom. Jacob Broom, chairman of the Committee on Recolutionary Pensions.

House or Representatives, University May 19, 1836.

Howse or Representatives, United States,
My deals see: I have been pleased to meet with you once sore after
the lapse of so many years; and I desire to avail myself of an early
opportunity to add my thanks to those you must have received from
many others for your labor and care in the compilation of the laws of
the United States relating to pensions and bounty lands; a copy of the
stereotype edition of which I have in my possession.

The subject of pensions is one which has been, and still continues to
be, of interest to the great American family. The circumstances unour which those for revolutionary services were provided are of a
highly interesting character.*

It was never tie design of our fathers that the system should be
partial, giving to some while it withholds from others equally doserving. Your arrangement of the laws, therefore, while it presents in detail the provisions made, is at the same time suggestive of those deficiencies and omissions which reader the system incomplete.

Your work I have found of incalculable value to me in my position
as chairman of the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, for, without
it, I should have been subjected to the labor of a close examination of
the statutes; and from the frequency of my recurrence to lt I have
been able to text its morit and appreciate its work.

I am, my dear sir, most respectfully and truly, yours,
Dr. R. Mayo.

See introduction to this work for Washington's Appeal to Congress,

Letter from General Cass.

Washington, February 10, 1857.

Dear size: I thank you for the very useful volume you have sent me. I have had time only to glance over it, but I have satisfied mysolf of its fidelity as well as of its value.

Your supplement centains important additions, and brings the pension history and have to a late period.

The system has become so extensive that some such compilation was indispensable, and I congratulate all who are obliged to look into the subject of those laws upon the able execution of your labors.

I atm, dear sir, respectfully yours.

Dr. Robert Mayo.

Letter from the Hon. James C. Atten, chairman of the Committee on Revolutionary Clatins.

Recolutionary Claims.

House or Representatives,
Washington, February 18, 1857.

Dear six: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of
the second edition of your work entitled "Dension and Bounty Land
Lawa," for which you will accept my thanks.

To all who are interested in the subject of pensions and bounty
lands, or claims against the government growing out of our revolutionary struggle, yours is a work of the first importance.

In this opinion I have the concurrence of my colleagues in Committee on Revolutionary Claims.

I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
Robert Mayo, M. D.

J. C. ALLEN.

House of Representances, February 20, 1857.

DEAR SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note of the 17th instant, with your own and Mr. Moulton's book of Pension and Bonuty Land Laws, for which accept my thanks.

In the examination of cases arising under the pension and bounty land laws, I have had frequent occasion to refer to this work, and have ever found it accurate and complete. As a compilation of the laws upon those subjects, I regard it highly useful both to those administering those laws and the public.

With many wishes for your continued success, I have the honor to be your obedient servant,

Dr. R. Mayo.

A. OLIVER.

Letter from the Hon. Solomon Foot, United States senator.

Washinoton City, March 13, 1857.

Dear six: I have had very frequent occasion, both in private investigations and in the Committee on Fensions and on Public Lands, to consult your valuable compliation of the Fension and Bounty Land Laws, and have derived great aid from it. Indeed, I regard it as allowed indisponable to the intelligent investigation of questions arising under those laws.

The work is deserving of a very liberal paironage; and I hope you may be abundantly rewarded for your labor.

I am, with sentiments of very great respect, your obedient servant, SOLOMON FOOT.

Dr. Roment Mayo, Washington City.

Dr. Rosser Mayo, Washington City.

Letter from the Hon. T. A. Hendricks, Commissioner of the Genero Land Office. Washington City, March 26, 1857.

Six: I have had frequent occasion to consult your work on the Pension and Bounty Land Laws of the United States, especially whils I was chairman of the Committee on Pensions of the House of Representatives, and have found it very full and complete, well arranged and reliable.

To those whose investigations touch the pension and bounty-land laws it is certainly of great value.

With much respect, your obedient servant,

THOS. A. HENDRICKS.

Dr. R. MAYO, Washington City.

Dr. R. Mavo, Washington City.

The letters first alluded to above, as farmerly received and published, commending the work in equally strong terms with the foregoing, were from heads of departments and other public officers in various ways connected with the administration of pensions and bounty lands, viz.

The Hon. A. H. STUART, late Secretary of the Interior.

The Hon. BORNET MCCIELLAND, late Secretary of the Interior.

The Hon. J. J. CHTTENISS, late Attorney General.

The Hon. JANISS E. HEATH, late Commissioner of Pensions.

The Hon. J. P. WALDO, late Commissioner of Pensions.

The Hon. J. M. BROUNDLAND, late Commissioner of the General Land Office.

The Hon. J. M. BROUNDLAND, Second Computed of the Treasury.

The Hon. ROBOUT J. ATMINSSOR, Third Auditor.

Colonel WM. H. BESSEL, chairman of House Committee on Military Affairs.

General James Summes, chairman of Scinite Committee on Military

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Also letters from chiefs of bureaus in the War and Navy Departments recommending a distribution of the work for the benefit and encouragement of the military and naval service.

This work has been adopted by Congress, under the joint resolution of the 24th June, 1884, in the ratio of 8 copies to each new member and delegate, with other books in their respective ratios, and are now due in the same ratio of 8 copies, with other books in their respective ratios, under the House resolution of July 7, 1886, and the book appropriation in the deficiency bill of March 3, 1887, to be distributed to such patific libraries as shall be designated in their respective districtions and being the such paties of the last Congress.

All of these testimonials render this the "standard work on Pension and Bounty Land Laws."

R. MAYO.

For sale by W. H. & O. H. Merrison, Washington, and Locas Brothern. and Bounty Land Laws. R. MAY
For sale by W. H. & O. H. Morrison, Washington, and Lucas Brot.
Balimore. Persons remitting \$3.50 will promptly receive a copmail or express free of cost.
The customary allowances will be made to booksellers.
June 18—dtf.

BURNETT HOUSE, southeast corner Pennsylvamia avenue and Four-and-a-Half street, Washington, D. C., Mrs.
Maraders by the day, week, or month.
Several large and comfortable rooms suitable for families. Permament and transient boarders comfortably accommodated; and meals
furnished to those who room elsewhere.
A choice selection or wines, lagous, and cigars, will always be
found at the bar.
Free lunch every day at 11 o'clock
Ap 18—if

Proposals for Screw-Propeller Sloop-of-War. Sale of Indian Trust Lands in Kansas Terri-PROCLAMATION

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. TN pursuance of law, I, FRANKLIN PIERCE, Pres

South of the base line and east of the right principal meridian South of the base line and east of the sizih principal meridian. Towinhips No. one, in ranges africen, eixteen, seventeen, eighteen, miesteen, and twenty. Townships No. too, in ranges seventeen, eighteen, miesteen, and twenty, excepting therefrom a few special grants designated in the treaty, amounting in the whole to eight hundred acres, and situate in townships two, of ranges minoteen and eventy. Also, at Paoli, Lykins county, in said Territory, commencing on Tuesday, the twenty-sixth day of May next, for the disposal of such of the lands hold in trust by the United States for the benefit of the confederated hunds of Kaciaskin, Peoria, Plankeshaw, and Wea Indians as are altered which the dust rendermentioned boundings of said Territory, and ceded by said confederated bands as aforesaid, to with South of the base line and cost of the sizth principal meridian. Townships fifteen, sixteen, and seventeen, of range twenty-one. Townships fifteen, sixteen, and seventeen, or range twenty-twen Townships fifteen, sixteen, and seventeen, or range twenty-twenteen, or r

Townships six, seven, eight, nine, and ten, of range eighteen.

The terms of said sales will be cash, and no bid will be received below the valuation placed upon the several tracts by the commissioners duly appointed for the purpose of classifying and valeing the same; and upon payment being made, receipts in duplicate will be executed therefor, one of which will be delivered to the perchaser.

Patents will subsequently be issued for the lands so purchased in accordance with the law in force regulating the issue thereof.

The effering of the above lands will be commenced on the days respectively appointed, and will proceed in the order to which they are advertised, with all convenient despatch, until the whole shall have been offered and the sales thus closed.

All purchases not pad for on the day of sale will be reoffered on the following day at the risk of the defaulting purchaser.

Given under my hand at the city of Washington this twenty-sixth day of February, sighteen hundred and fifty-seven.

FRANKLIN PIERCE.

By the President: GEO. W. MANYPENNY,

GEO. W. MANTPENSY,
Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

N. B.—No newspaper is authorized to publish the foregoing advertisement without special instructions to that effect from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Feb 28—lawtiJune.

Change of the Place of Sale of the Delaware Trust Lands in Kansas. Trust Lands in Kansas.

Notice is hereby given that the place of sale of the Delaware trust lands in Kansas Territory, advertised to take place at Lecompton on the 23d day of June next, has been changed to, and will commence at, Osawkee, in said Territory, on the same day and date.

By order of the Sccretary of the Interior:

CHARLES E. MIX.

Commissioner ad interior.

Change in the Days of Sale of the above-de-scribed Indian Trust Lauds in Kansas.

Office of Indian Affairs, April 11, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given that the days designated in the foregoing preclamation for the commencement of the sale of certain Indian trust lands are changed and postponed to the following periods:

lowa lands, at lowa Peint, to Wednesday, 3d day of June next.

The lands of the Weas, &c., at Paoli, to Wednesday, 24th day of June next.

Delaware lands, at Osawkee, to Wednesday, 15th day of July next.

By order of the Secretary of the Interior:

THE NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL UNITED

The Advance.

These ships having been built by contract expressly for government service, every care has been taken in their construction, as also in their engines, to insure strength and speed; and their accommodations for passengers are unequalled for elegance and comfort.

Price of passeng from New York to Liverpool in first cabin, \$130: in second cabin, \$75. From Liverpool to New York, 30 and 20 guiness.

guineas.

An experienced surgeon attached to each ship.

No borths can be secured until paid for.

The ships of this line have improved water-tight bulk heads, avoid danger from ice, will not cross the Banks north of 42 dejatter the 1st of August.

 From New York
 From Licerpool

 Saturday
 April 26, 1856
 Wednesday
 May 14, 1856

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 May 10, 1856
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 June 11, 1856

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EDWARD K. COLLINS, No 56 Wall street, N. Y. BROWN, SHIPLEY, & CO STEPHEN KENNARD & CO.,

Parts.
The owners of these ships will not be accountable for gold, six-bullion, specie, jewelry, precious stones, or metals, unless bills of ding are signed therefor, and the value thereof therein expressed. May 1—40.

For All Parts of the West. RALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.

NEW AND IMPROVED ARRANGEMENTS.

THREE TRAINS DAILY from Baltimore, for Cumberland, Wheeling, and all parts of the West.

1st. The ACCOMMODATION TRAIN will leave (except Sunday) at 6.45, a. m., councetting with trains from Philadelphia: first train from Washington (at Junction) will stop at way stations and arrive at Cumberland at 4 o'clock, p. m.

2d. The Mail. TRAIN leaves Camden Station daily (except Sanday) at 8.30, a. m., and reaches Wheeling by 4, a. m., connecting at Renwood with trains for Columbus, Cincinnati, Dayton, Indianapolis, Louisville, Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, Cairo, and intermediate points. time, coverand, Tolesio, Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis, Cairo, and intermediate points.

2d. The EXPRESS TRAIN leaves daily at 7, p. m., connecting with
express trains for Chedmati, St. Louis, Cairo, Chicago, and intermediste places. The distance to Chedmati and other central and southera places in the West is nearly 100 miles shorter than by any other
route. The time to these places is also unsqualled.

Baggange checked through to Columbus, Chedmati, Indianapolis, and
St. Louis.

Pagengers and home

St. Louis.

Passengers and baggage transferred at all points free.

THROUGH TEXETS will be sold to all the large towns in the West
at the lowest possible rates, at the ticket office, Camden Station, and a
Washington city.

A second-class car is attached to the mail train.

Passengers from Baltimore or Washington may vice the entire vonby displight by taking accommodation or mail train, and lying over a
Cumberland or Oakhand. They resume next morning by the express

train, which leaves Camberland at 2.50, a. m., and reaches Wheeling
at 2.p. m.

at 2, p. m.

Passengers from Washington have ample time for meals at Washington Junction.

This is the only route by which through tickets and baggage checks can be obtained in Washington.

The accommodation train, at 6.45, will stop at all stations east of Cumberland, and the express at stations beyond Piedmont going west. Eastwardly, the mail train leaves Wheeling at 7.15, a: m., and accommodation leaves Cumberland at 8.20, reacting Baltimore at 6.45, p. m.

The FREIPERICK TRAIN starts at 4, p. m., (except Sunday,) stopping at way stations. Leaves Frederick at 9, a: m., arriving at Baltimore at 12.30, noon.

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The ELIACOTT'S MILIS TRAIN leaves Carndon Station at 6, a. m., and 3.30, p. m. Leaves Ellicott's Mills at 7.30, a. m., and 7.30, p. m., except Sunday.

W. S. WOOFSIDE,

Master of Transportation.

UNITED STATES NAVAL COURT OF INQUIRY, Washington, February 26, 1857.

Washington, February 26, 1857.

THE judge advocate gives notice, for the information of parties coming before the court under the lat section of the act of January 16, 1857, that they will respectively be advised by the department when their cases shall have been referred to the court; and that it is desirable that in presenting themselves they should come prepared with a list of such witnesses as they may desire to have summoned, specifying to which of the respective heads of "fitness for the naval service" mentioned in the act their testimony is to be applied respectively; and suggesting the delay, if any, which may be required; and in respect of what witnesses.

J. M. CARLELE, Judge Advocate.

Feb 284—if Feb 28†--tf

Proposals for Stationery.

DEFAIRENCE OF THE INTESTIGOR, MAY 23, 1867.

SEALED PROPOSALS for furnishing such attactionery as may be required by this department during the finest year anding June 30, 1858, will be received until 12 o'clock m., on the 30th day of June next. Those unaccompanied by satisfaction testimonian of ability to fulfil the contract will not be considered, and contracts will only be awarded to established manufacturers of or dealers in the articles.

panelity of each article contracted for, as the public service may require.

Articles not mamed in the contract to be furnished at the option of the department at the lowest market prices.

Bonds with approved accurity must be given by the person or persons contracting; and in the event of the refusal or neglect of the contractor to furnish any article or articles named in the contract upon the order of the department or any of its bureaux, the same may be purchased in open market; and the difference between the price paid therefor and the contract price shall be charged to the contracte during which such refusal or neglect may occur.

The subjoined list specifies as nearly as can now be done the amount quality, and description of each of the kinds for articles required.

10 reams legal cap, white or blue, trimmed and ruled, per ream
690 reams quarto poet, white or blue, ruled various widths, per ream
80 reams quarto poet, extra superfine, thick cross-laid, ruled, per ream
25 reams white veltum note paper, highly glazed, hard calendered, lined and gitt, per ream
15 reams alhambra laid note paper, glit edged, lined, per ream
16 reams buff note paper, lined, per ream
16 reams mat cap, white or blue, unruled, per ream
17 reams envelope, yellow or buff, royal, per ream
170 reams pink blotting, per ream
25 reams pink blotting, per feam
40 dozen sheets patent blotting, per dozen sheets
12 sheets drawing paper, antiquarian, per sheet
12 sheets drawing paper, depthant, per sheet
15 sheets drawing paper, clephant, per sheet
100 sheets tracing paper, french, largest size, per shest
300 yards tracing cambric, per yard
5,100 tinders boards, 6½ by 10% inches, per C.
CLAS NO. 2.—Envedopes.

CLASS No. 2.-Enveloper. 1. 490,000 adhesive envelopes, white, yellow, or buff, heavy, 8½ by 3½ inches, per M.
2. 6,000 adhesive envelopes, white, heavy, 10½ by 5 inches, per M.
3. 30,000 adhesive envelopes, white or yellow, heavy, letter, 6 by 3½, per M.
4. 5,000 adhesive envelopes, card, per M.
5. 8,000 adhesive envelopes, note, per M.

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Class No. 3.—Pens.

100 dozen cards Perry's pens, and of other manufar
rers, assorted, per dozen cards

1,006 gross Perry's elibot's, or other good metallic pe
per gross

6 M quills, No. 80, per M

53 dozen gold pens, silvor cases, and pencils, b
quality, per dozen

50 dozen gold pens, without cases, best quality,
dozen.

CLASS No. 5.—Tentis.

14 dozen ivory ever-pointed pencils, large or stall, with leads, per dozen

425 dozen Faber's, or other good No. 1 to 4, or graduated, per dozen

25 cases Faber's, &c., polygrades, graduated, per case

62 dozen Faber's, &c., red and blue pencils, per dozen

44 gross leads, best quality, assorted, per gross.

CLASS No. 5.—Ink, Inkstantis, Wafers, and War.

Lass No. 5.—Ink., Inkstands, Wafers, and War.

13 dozen Drapor's large or small inkstands, per doze

8 dozen cast-fron double or single inkstands, per dozen

86 dozen Maynard & Noyes ink, quarts, per dozen

86 dozen Maynard & Noyes ink, plants, per dozen

26 dozen Dasharad & Noyes ink, plants, per dozen

26 dozen Dest blue ink, quarts, per dozen

30 dozen best French earmine ink, oz., per dozen

105 M seal wafers, best quality, red, No. 2, for off

neal, per M

100 pounds best red wafers, common size, per pound

200 pounds best red wafers, common size, per pound

200 pounds best extra super scarlet sealing war, p

pound.

40 dozen Rodgere's or other knives, four blades, bu or pearl handle, per dozen 15 dozen Rodgers's vory-handle erasers, per dozen 10 dozen Rodgers's spring erasers, tvory handles, p

15 dozen Redgera's ivory-handlo erasers, per dozen dozen Redgera's spring erasers, tvory handle, per dozen dozen erasers, spring erasers, tvory handle, per dozen dezen ivory wafer stamps, per dozen dozen erasers dezen office schears, extra, per dozen dozen office schears, extra, per dozen dozen eraser eraser

ON the petition of Moses S. Woodward, of Ches granted to him on the 4th day of becomber, 1843, for an improve-ment in "carriage brikes," for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 4th day of December, 1857— It is ordered that the said potition to be heard at the Patent Office Monday, the 23d of November next, at 12 o'clock, in:, and all per-sons are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said potition ought not to be granted.

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least twelfy days before the day of bearing; all testimony filed by either party to be used at the said hearing must be taken and transmitted in accord-ance with the rules of the office, which will be furnished on applies tion. ance with the rules of the office, which will be turnished to the total total.

The testimony in the case will be closed on the 13th of November, depositions, and other papers relied upon as testimony, must be filed in the office on or before the morning of that day; the argument, if any, within ten days thereatter.

Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the Union, Intelligencer, and Evening Star. Washington; Republican, Baltimore; Pensylvanian, Philadelphia; Daily Nows, Now York; and Post, Botton, once a week for three successive weeks previous to the 23d of November next, the day of hearing.

S. T. SHUGERT,

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Acting Commissioner of Patents P. S.—Editors of the above papers will please copy, and send the sile to the Patent Office, with a paper containing this notice. Aug 3—1aw3w

[No. 582.]

Notice Of the removal of the Land office from Fayettee to Boonville, is the State of Missouri.

In State of Missouri.

In accordance with the provisions of the act of Congress entitled "An act authorizing changes in the location of land offices." approved March 3, 1855, it is hereby declared and sade known that the office for the sale of public lands at FATETT, is the State of Missouri, will be removed to the town of Booveritz, is said State, at as certify a period as practicable.

Further notice as to the precise time of removal will be issued by the register and receiver at the Payette land office.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this 18th day of May, A. D. 1857.

By order of the President: order of the President :

THOS. A. HENDRICKS,
Commissioner of the General Land Office
May 19—law6w [Intel&Sar] THE VETERANS OF CHELSEA HOSPITAL; by G. R. Gleig. 38 cents.
Routledge's Shakspeare, part 6. 25 cents.
Russell's Crimea.
Just received at
June 20—3t
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TAYLOR & MAURY'S

Rouseau; Les Confossions. 2 vols., illustrated. 75 cents.
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Madame de Savigne; Lettres. 1 vol. 75 cents.
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Sertbe; Comedics. Vandevilles. 30 cents.
Dumas Fils; Antonine. 30 cents.
Dumas Fils; Antonine. 30 cents.
June 23

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